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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Appl. No.: 10/787,086

Confirmation No. 4293

Applicant: T. KATO et al.

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MODULE AND OPTICAL COMMUNICATION APPARATUS

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**AMENDMENT****MAIL STOP: AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed February 22, 2006, please amend the above-identified application follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.

A one-month Petition for Extension of Time and fee accompany this Amendment.